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Compliments. . . .

The Rt. Hon. Lord Allerton.

Pt. Wor. Prov. G. M. of W. Yorks.

Antient, Free, and Accepted Masons of England.

Province of West Yorkshire.

Rt. Wor. Bro., The Rt. Hon. LORD ALLERTON,

Prov. Grand Master.

Wor. Bro. RICHARD WILSON, Past Grand Deacon of Eng.

Deputy Prov. Grand Master.

Ceremonial

To be observed at the

Consecration

of FAIRFAX LODGE, No. 3255,

on the Roll of the Grand Lodge of

England, and - -

Installation

of the Worshipful Master Designate,

Bro. THOS. M. WOODHEAD,

P.M. 2669, P. Prov. G. W. - -

on Wednesday, October 16th, 1907,

at The Masonic Hall, Rawson Square,

Bradford. - - - - -

Wor. Bro. Richard Nelson. P.G.D. of Eng.

Deputy Prov. G.M. of W. Yorks.

Founders.

W. Bro. Thos. M. Woodhead, (P.M. 2669) P.P.G.W.

Bro. Benj. Shaw (Secretary 2669).

Bro. Arthur Worrall, M.B., Ch.B. (Sec. 1108).

Bro. Hermann Hall (1108).

W. Bro. F. R. Scatcherd (P.M. 1018).

Bro. Jonathan Peate, J.P. (304).

W. Bro. C. V. Woodcock (P.M. 1648).

Bro. L. A. Edmonds (265).

Bro. John Shuttleworth (265).

Bro. The Rev. J. F. Howson, M.A. (2386).

W. Bro. A. H. Sellers (P.M. 1773).

Bro. Harry Heymann (2554).

W. Bro. Chas. Hodgson (P.M. 1545).

Bro. James Hartley (387).

Bro. Benj. Lee (1648).

Bro. William Stringer (2669).

The Ceremony of Consecration

will be performed, and the Worshipful

Master Designate - - -

Installed

by the Deputy Provincial Grand Master

Wor. Bro. Richard Wilson

Past Grand Deacon of England.

Bro. Thos. H. Woodhead.

P. M. 2669. P.P.G.W.

Worshipful Master

Programme of Proceedings.

The Brethren (other than Officers of Grand and Prov. Grand Lodge) will assemble in the Lodge Room at 2-45.

The Wor. Deputy Prov. Grand Master and Officers of Grand and Prov. Grand Lodge will enter the Lodge at 3 o'clock, the Brethren singing the following Hymn :—

HAIL, Eternal! by whose aid
All created things were made—
Heaven and earth Thy vast design;
Hear us, Architect Divine.

May our work, begun in Thee,
Ever bless'd with order be;
And may we, when labours cease,
dim. Part in harmony and peace.

By Thy Glorious Majesty,
By the trust we place in Thee,
By the badge and mystic sign,
Hear us, Architect Divine.

So mote it be.

Lodge

will be

Opened in the Three Degrees

by

W. Bro. RICHARD WILSON, Deputy Prov. Grand Master, P.G.D. of Eng. - - as W.M.

assisted by

W. Bro. FREDK. WM. BENTLEY, Prov.S.G.W. - as S.W.

W. Bro. WM. HY. KINGSWELL (Mayor of Wakefield) Prov.J.G.W. - - - as J.W.

Bro. the Rev. C. H. KING, A.K.C., Prov.G.Chap. - as Chap.

W. Bro. Major H. G. E. GREEN, P.G.S.B. of Eng., Prov.G.Sec. - - - as Sec.

W. Bro. THOS. D. RUDDOCK, M.A., Prov.G.Reg. as Reg.

W. Bro. BERNARD NATHAN, Prov.S.G.D. - as S.D.

W. Bro. JOHN WM. BLAND, Prov.S.G.D. - - as J.D.

W. Bro. ARTHUR HARTLEY, Prov.G.Supt. of Wks. as Supt. of Wks.

W. Bro. TOM TWIVY, P.P.G.D. of C. - - as D. of C.

W. Bro. WESLEY PETTY, Prov.J.G.D. - - as I.G.

Bro. OSWALD HUDSON, Prov.G.Org. - - as Org.

Bro. JOHN HILL - - - - as O.G.

Salutations to The W.D.P.G.M.

Salutations to Officers of Grand Lodge.

Salutations to Officers of Prov. Grand Lodge.

Wor. Bro. C. T. Woodcock.

P.M. 1628.

Secretary I.P.M.

Consecration.

1.—The Deputy Prov. Grand Master as Consecrating Officer will address the Brethren on the motive of the Meeting.

2.—The Prov. G. Chaplain will give the Prayer.

So mote it be.

And read from 2nd Chronicles, chapter iii, verses 1, 2, 14, 15, 16 and 17.

3.—The Prov. Grand Secretary will address the Consecrating Officer and ask him to Consecrate the Lodge.

4.—The Founders of the New Lodge will arrange themselves on each side of the Lodge Board facing inwards, the Worshipful Master and the Wardens facing the East.

5.—The Consecrating Officer will call upon the Prov. Grand Registrar to read the Charter or Warrant of Constitution.

The Warrant having been read, the Consecrating Officer will ask the Founders if they approve of the Officers named in the Warrant.

They will signify their assent in Masonic form, and resume their seats.

6.—The Consecrating Officer will direct the Prov. Grand Supt. of Works to examine the Appointments of the Lodge to ascertain if all is correct, and to see that the Elements of Consecration, Corn, Wine, Oil and Salt are duly prepared and properly placed.

The Prov. Grand Supt. of Works will report that all is correct.

7.—The Consecrating Officer will call upon the Prov. Grand Chaplain to deliver the

Oration.

The Brethren will sing :—

1. BEHOLD, how good and **joyful** a | thing it | is : **brethren**, to | dwell to | gether . in | unity !
2. It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran **down** | unto . the | beard : even unto Aaron's beard, and went **down** to the | skirts | of his | clothing.
3. **Like** as the | dew of | Hermon : which **fell** up- | on the | hill of | Sion.
4. For there the **Lord** | promised . his | blessing : **and** | life for | ever- | more.

So mote it be.

8.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will offer the Dedication Prayer (first portion).

9.—The Consecrating Officer will repeat the Invocation, all the Brethren present turning to the East.

Sanctus 7.

" Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty ! Heaven and earth are full of the Majesty of Thy Glory."

So mote it be.

10.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will read from 2nd Chronicles, chapter ii, verses 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 13, 14 and 15.

11.—The Consecrating Officer will direct that the Lodge Board be uncovered and place himself at the East end with his Wardens, and the Prov. Grand Director of Ceremonies will hand him the Consecrating Vessels.

Bro. Benj. Shaw.

Senior Warden.

12.—The Consecrating Officer will then Consecrate the Lodge.

The Brethren will sing the following verse :—

Tune—"Old Hundred."

WHEN once of old in Israel
Our early brethren wrought with toil,
Jehovah's blessings on them fell,
In show'rs of Corn, and Wine, and Oil.

First Circuit Corn Strewn.

MUSICAL RESPONSE.

13.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will read from Psalm lxvii, verse 16.

The Brethren will sing the following verse :—

Tune—"Old Hundred."

When there, a shrine to Him alone
They built, with worship sin to foil,
On threshold and on corner stone,
They poured out Corn, and Wine, and Oil.

Second Circuit Wine poured.

MUSICAL RESPONSE.

Bro. Arthur Worrall.

Junior Warden.

14.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will read from Nehemiah, chapter x, verse 39.

The Brethren will sing the following verse :—

Tune—"Old Hundred."

And we have come, fraternal bands,
With joy, and pride, and prosperous spoil,
To honour Him by votive hands,
With streams of Corn, and Wine, and Oil.

Third Circuit Oil sprinkled.

MUSICAL RESPONSE.

15.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will read from Exodus, chapter xxx, verses 25 and 26.

16.—Before the Fourth Circuit the Founders will again arrange themselves round the Lodge Board facing outwards.

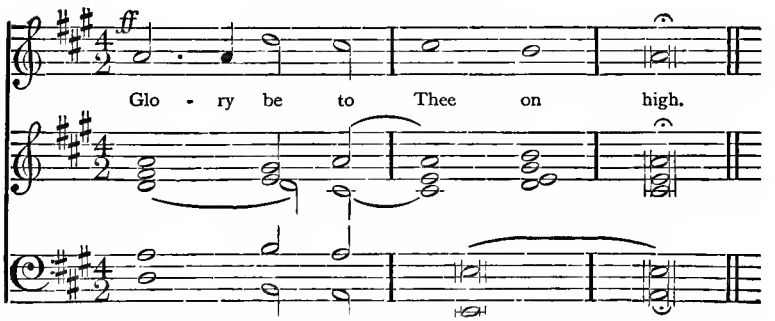
The Brethren will sing the following verse :—

Tune—"Old Hundred."

Now o'er our work this Salt we shower,
Emblem of Thy conservant power,
And may Thy presence, Lord, we pray,
Keep this our Temple from decay.

Fourth Circuit Salt sprinkled.

MUSICAL RESPONSE.



17.—The Consecrating Officer will then Dedicate the Lodge.

Bro. The Rev. J. F. Howson, M.A.

Chaplain.

18.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will take the Censer round the Lodge three times, halting in the East.

19.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will read from Leviticus, chapter ii, verse 13.

20.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will offer the Dedication Prayer (second portion).

So mote it be.

21.—The Prov. Grand Director of Ceremonies will arrange the Founders in the West, the Worshipful Master and Wardens designate in centre, all facing East.

22.—The Consecrating Officer will then Constitute the Lodge.

The Brethren will sing :—

So mote it be.

23.—The Prov. Grand Chaplain will give the Patriarchal Benediction.

So mote it be.

HERBERT G. E. GREEN, P.G.Swd.B. Eng.,

Prov. G. Sec.

Ceremony of Installation and Investiture of Officers. . . .

Bro. Jonathan Peete.

Treasurer.

Installation . .

— *of* —

Bro. THOS. M. WOODHEAD as Worshipful Master, by the Deputy Prov. Grand Master of West Yorks., W. Bro. RICHARD WILSON, P.G.D. of Eng.

Procession and Salutation of W.M.

Proclamation in the East.

Presentation of the Working Tools of a M.M.

The Lodge Closed in the Third Degree.

SECOND DEGREE.

Admit F.Cs.

Procession and Salutation of W.M.

Proclamation in the West.

Presentation of the Working Tools of a F.C.F.M.

The Lodge Closed in the Second Degree.

FIRST DEGREE.

Admit E.As.

Procession and Salutation of W.M.

Proclamation in the South.

Presentation of the Working Tools of an E.A.F.M.

Presentation of Warrant, Book of Constitutions and Provincial By-Laws.

Investiture . .

— *of* —

Bro. BENJ. SHAW as Senior Warden, and Bro. ARTHUR WORRALL as Junior Warden, by the Deputy Prov. Grand Master of West Yorks., W. Bro. RICHARD WILSON, P.G.D. of Eng.

Election of Treasurer.

Election of Tyler.

Bro. Hermann T. Hall,

Secretary.

Appointment and Investiture of Officers.

Acting I.P.M. - -	W. Bro. C. V. Woodcock, P.M. 1648.
Chaplain - -	Bro. The Rev. J. F. Howson, M.A.
Treasurer - -	Bro. Jonathan Peate.
Secretary - -	Bro. Hermann T. Hall.
Senior Deacon - -	Bro. L. A. Edmonds.
Junior Deacon - -	Bro. John Shuttleworth.
Inner Guard - -	Bro. Harry Heymann.
Outer Guard - -	Bro. James Hartley.
Preceptor - -	W. Bro. Chas. Hodgson, P.M. 1545.
Supt. of Works. -	W. Bro. F. R. Scatcherd, P.M. 1018.
D. of C. - - -	W. Bro. A. H. Sellers, P.M. 1773.
Organist - - -	Bro. Benj. Lee.
Steward - - -	Bro. William Stringer.

Addresses

to the Worshipful Master, to the Wardens, and to the Brethren by the Deputy Prov. Grand Master.

Election of a Brother to represent the Lodge on the Charity Committee of the Province.

Bro. L. A. Edmonds,

Senior Deacon.

"If I had not lifted up the stone, ye had not found the jewel."
—*Hebrew Proverb.*

Propositions.

The following Gentlemen will be proposed for Initiation :—

Mr. JOHN WILLIAM MYERS, M.D., F.R.C.P., &c., &c., Aged 45, Doctor of Medicine, "Hillside," Menston. Proposed by Bro. BENJ. SHAW, S.W. Seconded by Bro. JONATHAN PEATE, Treasurer.

Mr. JOHN WILLIAM HYSLOP, M.B., C.M., Aged 38, Surgeon, Rokeby, Menston. Proposed by Bro. ARTHUR WORRALL, J.W. Seconded by Bro. HARRY HEYMANN, I.G.

Mr. ISAAC MOON, Aged 62, Woollen Manufacturer, Crookland, Guiseley. Proposed by Bro. JONATHAN PEATE. Seconded by Bro. the Rev. J. F. HOWSON, M.A., Chaplain.

Mr. HARRY HERBERT HALL, Aged 45, Dyer, Westfield, Yeadon. Proposed by Bro. JONATHAN PEATE, Treasurer. Seconded by Bro. HERMANN T. HALL, Secretary.

Mr. THOMAS GRAY GREIG, Aged 44, Yarn Agent, St. Fillans, Menston. Proposed by Bro. HARRY HEYMANN, I.G. Seconded by W. Bro. THOS. M. WOODHEAD, P.M. 2669, P.P.G.W., Worshipful Master.

Mr. JOHN HARRY IVES, Aged 39, Woollen Manufacturer, Laurel Bank, Guiseley. Proposed by Bro. JONATHAN PEATE, Treasurer. Seconded by Bro. BENJ. SHAW, S.W.

The Lodge will be Closed.

Concluding Hymn.

During the singing of the last verse the Officers of Grand and Prov. Grand Lodge will retire.

Now the evening shadows closing,
Warn from toil to peaceful rest;
Mystic arts and rites reposing
Sacred in each faithful breast.

God of Light! whose love unceasing,
Doth to all Thy works extend,
Crown our Order with Thy blessing;
Build, sustain us to the end.

Humbly now we bow before Thee,
Grateful for Thine aid Divine:
Everlasting power and glory,
Mighty Architect! be Thine.

So mote it be.

Bro. John Shuttleworth.

Junior Deacon.

Festival of Sainte John ye Evangelist. . . .

Banquette

After ye **Consecration** *of ye FAIRFAX LODGE, No. 3255; ye* **Installation** *of Bro. THOS. M. WOODHEAD, as Master, and ye* **Investiture** *of ye WARDENS and OFFICERS, on Wednesdaye, ye Sixteenth daye of October, Anno Domini mdccccvii, at ye Masonic Hall, over against ye Rawson Square, in ye Cittie of Bradford.*

Bro. Harry Heymann.

Tiler Guard.

"Human happiness consists in having what you want and wanting what you have."—*Josh. Billings.*

Ye Bille of ye Fare.

Ye Bille of ye Fare is drawne in playne Englyshe without any cloake of French or other Foreygne tongue, for ye fobere comforte of ye Brethrenne, and that ye may know what ye are asked to accept.

YE SOUPE.

Soupe made from ye Turtle (which is a mockerie).
Soupe compounded from ye Taples of Oxen.

FYSHE.

A fine Turbot with Sauce compounded from ye Lobster.
Soles from which ye bones have been carefullie withdrawne.

YE COURSE BEFORE YE NEXT.

Oysters made into lyttle pyes.
Kidneys stewn after their use and mannere.
Some portions of Lamb yclepped Cutlets.

"Labour shall refresh itself."—*Henry V.*

"There is full liberty of feasting until the bell
have toll'd * * * * *"—*Othello.*

Ye Bille of ye Fare—continued.

FLESHE.

Ye Roaste Beefe of Old Englande.
Some Boyled Muttone, Tongue of ye Ox, and Sauce of Capers
A Fillet of Veal made hotte and tastie and a Cheek of
ye Boare compounded into ye Fairfax Chap.
Ye Antiente Ham of Yorkshire.
Some Turkey roasted and lykewyse some boyled.

SWEETS.

A Puddynge (prepared after ye usual manner acceptable
to ye Founders of ye Fairfax Lodge and
their Visiting Brethren.
Some Apple and Blackberry Tart.
Some Jelly compounded from ye Foot of ye Calf.
Creme flavoured with Raspberries.
Ye same with Vanilla.

"Lo, as at Englisb feasts,
The daintiest last to make the end most sweet."—*Richard II.*

Bro. James Hartley.

Inter Guard.

"Beseech you Sirs, be merrie."—*Tempest.*

Ye Bille of ye Fare—continued.

Ye Fruite, &c.

Ye Grapes of divers hues from ye faymous Vineyards of Lombardye.

Pineapples, Pears, Apples, Bananas.

Swete Almonds.

Raisins of Muscatel.

Filberts from ye famous Countie of Kent.

etc., etc.

Ye faymous Cheese from Chesshire.

Ye same of Gorgonzola,

with

Celerie, Butter and Biscuits.

"And we beseech you, bend you to remain
Here, in the cheer and comfort of our eye."—*Hamlet.*

"This to confirm your welcome
And to you all, good health! —*Henry V.*

Wor. Bro. Chas. Hodgson.

P. M. 1545.

Preceptor.

"Never was Monarch better feared and loved
Than is your Majesty: there's not, I think, a subject,
That sits in heart grief and uneasiness
Under the sweet shade of your government."—*Henry V.*

TOAST.

His Majesty the King.

Proposed by the W.M.
Bro. T. M. Woodhead.

MASONIC NATIONAL ANTHEM.

Solo ... ... *W. Bro. C. W. O. Smith, P.P.G.D.*

GOD save our gracious King, Long live our noble King,
God save the King,
Send him victorious happy and glorious, Long to reign over us,
God save the King.

Hail, mystic Light Divine, May'st Thou ne'er cease to shine,
Over this land;
Wisdom in Thee we find, Beauty and strength combined, Masons
are ever joined
In heart and hand.

Come then ye sons of Light, In joyous strains unite,
God save the King,
Long may King Edward reign, King of the azure main, Masons
resound the strain,
God save the King.

"Tell the King I love him."
—*Guinevere.*

"Our noblest Brother."
—*Gareth and Lynette.*

"Sacred and sweet was all I saw in her."—*Taming of the Shrew.*

TOAST.

Her Majesty the Queen, Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, and the other Members of the Royal Family.

Proposed by the W.M.

NATIONAL SONG.

"God bless the Prince of Wales."

Solo ... ... *W. Bro. C. W. O. Smith, P.P.G.D.*

AMONG our ancient mountains,
And from our lovely vales,
Oh! let the prayer re-echo,
"God bless the Prince of Wales!"
With heart and voice awaken
Those minstrel strains of yore,
Till Britain's name and glory
Resound from shore to shore.

Among our ancient mountains,
And from our lovely vales,
Oh! let the prayer re-echo,
"God bless the Prince of Wales."

"The immortal heir of England." "The hope and expectation of the time." "It is the Prince of Wales."—*Henry IV.*

Wor. Bro. F. K. Scatchard.

P. M. 1018.

Supt of Works

"The most important post to fill."—

TOAST.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, K.G., etc., Most Worshipful Grand Master of All England; The Right Hon. Bro. the Earl Amherst, Most Worshipful Pro. Grand Master; the Right Hon. Bro. T. F. Halsey, Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master; and the rest of Grand Officers, present and past.

Proposed by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Mayor of Bradford, W. Bro. J. A. Godwin, J.P., P.P.G.W.

Response by W. Bro. W. P. Raynor, P.G.D. of Eng.

"A glorious company, the flower of men."—*Gutnevere.*

"A man of good repute, carriage, bearing, and estimation."
—*Love's Labour Lost.*

TOASTS.

The Right Hon. Bro. Lord Allerton, the Right Worshipful Prov. Grand Master of West Yorks.

Proposed by W. Bro.
Wm. C. Lupton, P.G.D. of Eng.

The Wor. Bro. Richard Wilson, J.P., Deputy Prov. Grand Master of West Yorks., and the rest of the Prov. Grand Officers present and past.

Proposed by W. Bro.
E. Fox-Thomas, P.S.B. Eng.

Response by W. Bro.
F. W. Bentley, Prov.S.G.W.

"All men, true and leal."—*Merlin and Vivien.*

Wor. Bro. A. H. Sellers.

P. M. 1773.

Director of Ceremonies.

"The highest virtue, mother of them all."—*The Holy Grail.*

TOAST.

The Masonic Charities.

Proposed by W. Bro.
W. F. Smithson, P.G.D. of Eng.

Recitation ... ... ——

Bro. Robt. Dempster.

Response by W. Bro. Chas. Stokes, P.P.G.D., Chairman Charity Committee.

Song ... "A Lift on the Way" ... ——

W. Bro. J. Paget Priestley, P.P.G.O.

"No one ever impoverished himself by almsgiving."—*Italian Proverb.*

"Whate'er he did was done with so much ease,
In him alone 'twas natural to please."—*Dryden.*

TOAST.

The Consecrating and Installing Officer W. Bro. Richard Wilson, Deputy Prov. Grand Master.

Proposed by Bro. Jonathan Peate, Treasurer.

Violin Solo ... ... ——

Bro. Whitby Norton, S.D. 2669.

Response by The Worshipful Deputy.

Song ... ... "Tally Ho!" ... ... *Miles*

Bro. H. Richard.

"Crammed with excellencies."—*Twelfth Night.*

"Our Guests you are honoured now even to the uttermost."
—*The Golden Supper.*

TOAST.

The Visiting Brethren.

Proposed by Bro. the Rev. J. F. Howson, M.A., Chaplain.

Song ... ... "Annabelle Lee" ... *Henry Leslie*

Bro. Wm. Firth.

Response by Visiting Brethren.

Song ... ... "John James" ... ... ——

W. Bro. John Hodgson, P.M. 2669.

"You're welcome my guests; that noble gentleman that is not truly merry is not my friend."—*Henry V.*

Bro. Benj. Lee.

Organist.

TOAST.

The Worshipful Master, Bro. Thos. M. Woodhead.

Proposed by the Deputy Prov. Grand Master, W. Bro. Richard Wilson, P.G.D. of Eng.

Hail, Worthy Master, hail! With heart and voice we pledge thee; May
ff
p
Smoothly.
peace and or - der crown thy year, And may we dwell in har - mo-ny be-
- neath thy sway. Hail, Wor-thy Mas - ter, hail!
ff

Song ... ... "I'm a Roamer" ... *Mendelssohn*

Bro. H. Rickard.

Response by the W.M.

Violin Solo ... ... ——

Bro. Whitby Norton, S.D. 2669.

"A body journeying onward."—*The Lover's Tale.*

TOAST.

The Founders of Fairfax Lodge.

Proposed by W. Bro. Thomas Norfolk, P.P.G.D. of C.

Song ... ... "The Echo" ... ... *Somerset*

Bro. Wm. Firth.

Response by W. Bro. C. V. Woodcock, P.M. 1648, Acting I.P.M., and Bro. Benj. Shaw, Sec. 2669, S.W.

Song ... ... ——

W. Bro. John Hodgson, P.M. 2669.

"Happy be the issue of this good day, and of this gracious meeting."—*Henry V.*

Bro. Wm. Stringer.

Steward.

"That faithful servant of whom we spoke about."—*The Golden Supper.*

Piano Solo ... "Home Sweet Home" ... *Thalberg*

W. Bro. J. Paget Priestley, P.P.G.O.

TOAST.

The Tyler's Toast.

Proposed by Bro. James Hartley, O.G.

"I know not where, but whereso'er
I wish him well."

"Give to the Poor,
Ye give to God. He is with us in the Poor."

"Faith! may we put up our pipes and begone.—*Romeo and Juliet.*

The Fairfax Lodge has been founded to meet the requirements of the Craft, in the district of Guiseley, Yeadon, Menston, and Rawdon, and will hold its meetings in the Town Hall, Guiseley, until its permanent premises are ready for occupation.

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Thos. M. Woodhead,
"Pearl" Artistic Stationery Works,
Bradford.

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